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For: IMPROVED TOOLING SYSTEM)	
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Atty. Docket No.: MARK6011)	<u>PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT</u>
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MAIL STOP PCT
 Commissioner for Patents
 P. O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This is a request for entry into the U.S. National Phase under 35 U.S.C. 371 of International Application No. PCT/GB2004/05429, filed December 23, 2004. Please amend the application as indicated below.

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